

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF  
PIERRE DREYER ET AL  
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP 03/09409  
FILED: **August 26, 2003**

Group Art Unit: **1796**  
Examiner: **Gregory R. Delcotto**  
Confirmation No. **6625**

FOR: FORMULATIONS COMPRISING WATER-  
SOLUBLE GRANULATES

DO NOT ENTER: /GD/

U.S. APPLICATION NO: **10/526,093**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**Response Under 37CFR 1.116:**  
**Expedited Procedure**  
**Examining Group** 1796

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 2, 2009, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted for entry and consideration. The Action set a 3 month shortened statutory period for reply, making response due September 2, 2009. This reply is timely filed and no petition for an extension of time is required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.